

Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
	10/772,160	TATE, RONALD C.	
	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Ernest F. Karlsen	2829	

All Participants:

(1) Ernest F. Karlsen.

(2) Russell E. Fowler II.

Status of Application: Amended

(3) _____

(4) _____

Date of Interview: 15 May 2007

Time: _____

Type of Interview:

- ☒ Telephonic
☐ Video Conference
☐ Personal (Copy given to: ☐ Applicant ☐ Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated: ☐ Yes ☐ No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

Part I.

Rejection(s) discussed:

none

Claims discussed:

none

Prior art documents discussed:

none

Part II.

SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:

See Continuation Sheet

Part III.

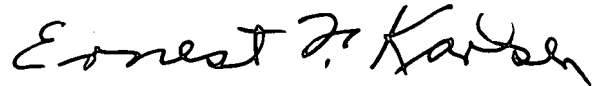
- ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.
☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

Ernest F. Karlsen

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)

Continuation of Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was discussed: The Examiner called Mr. Fowler on May 14, 2007 and requested assistance in understanding the disclosure. Mr. Fowler returned a call on May 15, 2007. Meanwhile, after rereading the specification, the Examiner considered he understood as much as could be understood from the disclosure. Element 64 of Figure 5 was briefly discussed..

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Ernest J. Karlsen". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style with a large, stylized "E" and "K".

ERNEST KARLSEN
PRIMARY EXAMINER